

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please substitute the following identified specification paragraphs for the corresponding pending paragraphs within the specification. A marked up version of the amended specification paragraphs follows the "remarks" section of this amendment.

Paragraph beginning on page 10, line 17

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Consistent with the present invention, the method begins with the initiation of transmission at an input device 650. Initiation may occur, for example, by putting a document on a scanner, turning on a camera, or receiving a signal indicating an incoming fax. Receipt of input data therefore generally begins with the input device 650 of Fig. 6. Input device 650 will convert the received images to digital data and may also store the data to a location in input device 650, or another accessible storage location, such as storage 622. Input device 650 may also accept a list of addresses to which the device would like to transfer the input data (step 510). For example, input device 650 may be a fax machine that accepts a document, converts it to digital data, and allows the user to input various network addresses that would like to receive the faxed information.

Paragraph beginning on page 11, line 4

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Input device 650 notifies the server that input device 650 has data to transmit by, for example, sending an HTTP request to one or more of the destination addresses, such as client 600 (step 515). If there is no response from the destination device, the destination may be turned off or otherwise unavailable to receive the input data (step 520). The process may revert to error handling or terminate. If the destination device is turned on, but not functioning, i.e. the request is not accepted by its destination, (step 525), the destination device may return a message that it is unavailable (step 528). If the destination device is turned off (step 520), the request may be returned to input device 650 signaling that the destination device is unavailable (step 527).